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50 YEARS OLD — NILES, CALIFORNIA FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 1938 — No. 15

AROUND *the* TOWNSHIP

The Neon signs are coming. It is merely a matter of days before tall, handsome neon lighting will blaze the name "Niles" to the passing motorist at both the north and south entrances to town.

We've said something like this before. However, when the project is passed from a membership meeting to a directors' meeting and thence to the original committee with definite instructions to act—all in the same 24 hours as it was on last Monday—we are inclined to believe the Niles Chamber of Commerce has something on the ball.

Yessir, we're going to get those signs.

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That tragedy can stalk in an innocent family yard fish pond has been demonstrated in the finding of a tot's lifeless body face down in the water at the Emery home on McKeown road, near Alvarado, last Sunday. Previously another two-year old child narrowly escaped a similar fate in a fish pond.

The answer seems to be to dig them shallower or fence in the pools to keep out humans of the toddling age, lest more unforgettable accidents occur.

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The Eden-Washington Farm Center informs the world, through The Register in this issue, of its membership drive which closes April 30 and presents some very convincing arguments as to why any one engaged in agricultural pursuits should join this important cooperative organization.

Two hundred farmers of this two-township area aren't very likely to be wrong as to the kind of effective organization that works to the best advantage. Those outside would do well by themselves to get inside.

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First it was Kallas; now it is Perry.

With a gun in their ribs, both were told the same story: "Hand over your dough." Then, "Don't call the police or go anywhere for 10 minutes or I'll kill you!"

The stick up artist, in both instances, worked on Tuesday, three weeks apart, in an identical manner and selected victims from the same type of business as they closed up and went home.

Either Niles is becoming a little Chicago or the world's gangsters are moving westward. Added police protection may be needed, but meantime cash could be hidden under the kitchen sink overnight.

HOST TO DISTRICT

NILES — Three hundred representatives of the Legion and the Auxiliary of the Tenth District will meet in Niles on April 20.

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Dancing Free
Lunch 35c
Spring Chicken Dinner 50c

AGED RESIDENT DIES IN HOSPITAL

NILES—Carson Upson, 79, resident of Niles for the last 20 years and for the last several years living alone in Niles Canyon, passed away at an Oakland hospital last Friday and was given final rites at the Berge Mortuary Company Wednesday morning. Burial was in the Odd Fellows cemetery at Irvington.

Upson formerly was connected with the Victory Motor Works here. He was a native of Indiana and is survived by a brother in Wisconsin and a nephew in the U. S. Navy.

Toyon Branch Of Children's Hospital Will Hold Party

NILES—The annual garden party of the Toyon Branch of the Children's Hospital will be given at the J. C. Shinn home on the Niles-Centerville Road on Saturday, May 21. Plans were made at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. George Sladek.

Luncheon will be served at noon and a short program given following. Card tables will be arranged for those who wish to play bridge and numerous events are being planned for the children, including burro rides, tennis, archery, a fish pond, etc. There will also be a fortune telling booth.

The next meeting was advanced a week in order that further details for the garden party might be arranged. It will be held at the home of the chairman, Mrs. James R. Whipple with Mrs. Gladys Williamson as joint hostess.

Committees have been appointed as follows: Program, Mrs. J. C. Shinn; luncheon, Mrs. Julia Shinn, Mrs. Walter Robie, Mrs. Rosalie Donovan, Mrs. Alfred Dana and Mrs. Lawrence Bunting, Sr.: candy booth, Misses Gallegos, Mrs. Douglas Cushman, Mrs. Evelyn Perkins and Mrs. W. D. Patterson; cold drinks, Mrs. Lawrence Bunting, Jr., and members of the Toyon Berries; ice cream, Mrs. J. C. Shinn, Jr.; food table, Mrs. Anna Sladek, Mrs. George Sladek, Miss Mildred Nauert, Mrs. W. H. Ford, Mrs. Ada C. Rowe; fish pond, Mrs. J. E. Townsend, Mrs. Lloyd Weaver, Miss Lorraine Smith; flower booth, Mrs. Herbert Harrold; white elephants, Mrs. Etta Alexander; card tables, Mrs. Frederick Muller, Mrs. William Wyatt and Mrs. T. D. Witherly.

ALVISO LOSES FIRST GAME OF SEASON TO NEWARK SCHOOL TEAM

NEWARK—The Newark Red Sox played Alviso in a game of baseball and the Red Sox won. The score was 16 to 6.

There was a home run hit for Newark by Manuel Santos; two base hits by Leonard Laudenslager and Herman Neves; three base hits by Herman Neves and Eddie Enos.

The Newark Red Sox of the Newark Grammar School includes: Herman Neves, catcher; Manuel Santos, pitcher; Emile Pierce, first base; Silvio Dossetti, second base; Peter Lopez, third base; Eddie Enos, shortstop; John Dossetti, right field; George Marshall, center field; Leonard Laudenslager, left field.

This was the opening game for Newark and it looks like a bright future for them.

COMMUNITY CHURCH SPONSORS TEA

IRVINGTON—The public is invited to attend a tea to be given by the Women's Association of the Irvington Community Church on Saturday afternoon, April 23, from 1 to 5 o'clock. Mrs. George Scammon, Mrs. Knudsen and Mrs. Lutz are in charge. The affair will be given at the home of Mrs. Lutz.

TURTLE ON DISPLAY

IRVINGTON—The turtle exhibited in the Weston store was brought back from the Gulf of Mexico by Mrs. Weston's brother-in-law, Mr. Frank.

Plan Program For Week Observance In Public Schools

CENTERVILLE—The nineteenth annual observance of California Public Schools Week is scheduled to begin on Monday, April 25.

The primary purpose of the observance remains as it was in the beginning. That purpose is to afford the public in general and the parents of school children in particular, an opportunity of visiting the schools so that they may become the better informed on all matters relating to public education and its support.

The people of California are invited, through meetings and by actual visits to schools during Public Schools Week, to familiarize themselves with the work of the schools.

The public is invited to attend the following gatherings at the Centerville Grammar School and to inspect the exhibit of the student's work which will be displayed.

Monday, April 25, 8 p. m.—Special program, Boy Scout Court of Honor, Open House.

Tuesday, April 26, 2:30 p. m.—Special program by the students, Open House, Parent-Teachers' Association meeting, light refreshments served by the students.

MRS. MAE MILLER IS NEW STORE MANAGER SUCCEEDING VIERY

NILES—Regret is being expressed at the departure of the Gladfred Viery family for San Diego this week or next. Veiry, manager of the Niles MacMarr Store and a prominent member of the Workshop Guild and the Arts and Crafts Guild, will be missed in many ways. Mrs. Viery has also been prominently identified with these groups and their many friends are expressing regret at their leaving.

Viery is going into business with his father in San Diego and will assist with the management of the Red Sails Inn there.

Succeeding Viery as manager of the MacMarr store is Mrs. Mae Miller, connected with the establishment for the past 10 years. She is being congratulated upon her promotion.

Rites Held Amid Sorrowing Friends For Mrs. Moore

NILES—A deep shock was felt by the entire community at the sudden death of Mrs. Mable Moore who passed away at her home early last Friday morning following an illness of only a few hours. Services were conducted at the Chapel of the Palms on Monday morning and interment was at the family plot in the Irvington cemetery with Rev. W. J. Attwood, pastor of the St. James Episcopal church officiating.

Surviving are the husband, Philip Moore, prominent rancher of the township; two daughters, Mrs. Madeline Kimball of Los Angeles and Mrs. Margaret Boyer of Oakland; a brother, Jack Crothers, publisher of the Eureka Times of Eureka, California; and two sisters, Mrs. Frank T. Dusterberry of Centerville and Mrs. H. C. Lappin of Canada; also two grandchildren, Alice Boyer of Oakland and Dick Jelleff of Los Angeles. She was the niece of Robert A. Crothers of San Francisco.

Mrs. Moore had lived in Niles since 1906 and had made a wide circle of friends in this community. She was the daughter of the late James and Emma Crothers of Canada.

Numerous floral offerings and friends from the township and the Bay section, who filled both parlors at the Chapel of the Palms, testified to the sympathy extended to the bereaved family. Pallbearers were George Emerson, George Coit, George Lowrie, Sr., Dr. W. L. McWhirter, Garrett Norris and Eric Bergstrom.

SERIOUSLY INJURED IN AUTO CRACK UP

NILES—Elizabeth Franco, 20, was taken to the Highland Hospital suffering from cerebral concussion received when a car driven by Emanuel Rogers, 24, of 1639 22nd ave., Oakland, skidded and crashed into a fence near Niles early Sunday morning.

Also in the car and suffering minor injuries were Olive Manuel, 20, of Niles and James Sousa of 1947 E. 15th st., Oakland. They were given first aid by Dr. E. C. Grau.

Fete Dusterberry At Joint Dinner Affair April 21

CENTERVILLE — Tentative plans have been made for a testimonial dinner to be given by the Centerville Lions Club and the Centerville Chamber of Commerce for Frank T. Dusterberry, who retired as manager of the local branch of the Bank of America on April 1. The date is set for April 21 and the place is yet to be selected. The dinner will be served by the Country Club of Washington Township.

The affair will be invitational and will be attended by members of the Centerville Chamber of Commerce, the Lions Club and close friends of Mr. Dusterberry from other towns in the township. Officials of the Bank of America will be invited.

A program is being arranged, states Judge Allen G. Norris, committee member.

Mr. Dusterberry has been manager of the Centerville Branch of the Bank of America since it took over the Centerville Bank eight years ago. He organized the Centerville Bank in 1905. He is grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, president of the Chamber of Commerce, charter member of the Washington Parlor of Native Sons, secretary of the Washington Township Health Center which is in the process of establishing a dental clinic in the township and active in numerous other civic, fraternal and social circles of the community.

He is succeeded at the bank by Howard White of Hayward, formerly a resident here.

DR. WILSON PLACES FIRST IN ROTARY CLUB GOLF TOURNEY

NILES—The first time the Niles Rotary Club entered the monthly golf tournaments held by the Eastbay Rotarians, one of its members walked off with first prize. At a tournament held at the Castlewood Country Club on Tuesday, Dr. T. C. Wilson won a cocktail service for placing first in the tournament with a low net score of 74.

George Smith of Decoto placed fourth. Jack Vieux of Niles also represented Niles in the tournament which included about 40 players rom Eastbay Rotary Clubs: A banquet followed the play at which time ten prizes were presented by William Osburn of Oakland.

EUREKA MAN LOSES SISTER AND WIFE BY DEATH IN SAME WEEK

NILES—Mrs. Olive Crothers, formerly of Niles, passed away at a hospital in Eureka Wednesday morning following an illness of several months. For the secod time this week, her husband, Jack Crothers, was bereaved, having been in Niles Monday or the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Mable Moore.

Mrs. Crothers was a native of Niles and left here about 25 years ago for Eureka. She has visited here frequently and has many friends who will mourn her passing. Surviving are the husband, who is publisher of the Eureka Times; two daughters, Olive and Louise, student at Mills College; her mother, Mrs. Robert Bonner of Sunol and two brothers, Ira Bonner of Niles and Robert Bonner of Eureka. She was a cousin of Mrs. F. O. Bunting of Centerville.

Dental Clinic At Newark Awaiting Only Equipment

That Washington Township is a part of a national movement toward emphasis on dental hygiene in establishing a dental clinic at the Newark School is evidenced by numerous stories appearing in news columns recently. The clinic at the Newark School will be opened as soon as equipment arrives.

The story given below was printed in a daily paper last week and might furnish an inspiration to local P.-T. A. groups:

By means of magic, Berkeley school children are being taught the proper care of their teeth.

Maurice Lenser, magician, is being presented at the various schools this week, using his "tooth magic show," to demonstrate dental lessons.

The shows are under the direction of Miss Harriet Fitzgerald, instructor in dental hygiene at the University of California, who is dental hygienist for the Berkeley schools.

Lenser represents the Good Teeth Council for Children, a national organization headed by Dr. Guy S. Millbury, dean of the University of California College of Dentistry.

The local demonstrations are sponsored by the P.-T. A. and the board of directors of the Berkeley Dental Society.

Entrance Highway Signs For Niles Ordered April 13

NILES— Orders were placed Wednesday by the Niles Chamber of Commerce with an Oakland electrical firm for two Neon highway signs which should be in place within two weeks. A three-year lease will be signed for which the chamber will pay $4 per month for each sign for three years. Installation costs will amount to $155 and lights will be installed by Vieux Brothers of Niles.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce which originated the idea of installing highway signs will be asked to bear half the expense. The committee working on the highway sign project has been a joint body from both chambers, headed by Dr. T. C. Wilson.

The two signs would have cost $290 if purchased outright. They will be placed on steel and concrete structures at the Hotel Belvoir entrance and at the Niles Canyon intersection.

Unknown Bandit Holds Up Louis Perry Tuesday

NILES—For the second time within three weeks an unknown bandit has held up and robbed a Niles business man. Tuesday night about 11:20 Louis Perry was locking his rear door and preparing to go home when some one threatened him with a gun and took $135 from him.

Recently Pete Kallas was robbed as he was opening the front door of his home after closing his restaurant at 2 a. m.

Lewis Lewis also reported to Deputy Sheriff Henry Vervais that some one had been taking milk from his porch in the early morning hours.

NEW GAS REDUCTION BECOMES EFFECTIVE

Washington Township housewives should notice a distinct cut in their gas bills this month following the new low rate effective the first of this month.

The schedule, published in January, provides for percentages of reductions ranging from 2.9 per cent to 13.3 per cent. An old bill of $4.76 will be reduced to $4.15 and an $18.91 old bill will be cut to $16.40.

CHURCHES COMBINE FOR GOOD FRIDAY SERVICES AT 1:30

NILES—Joint Good Friday services will be held this afternoon at the Niles Congregational Church by congregations of Newark, Alvarado, Centerville, Irvington and Niles, beginning at 1:30 o'clock. The public is invited.

Rev. R. C. Day, pastor of the Niles church, and Rev. Vernon Brown of the Washington Township parish of Presbyterian churches will have charge. There will be special music. The service will close at 3:30 o'clock.

Events In China Are Reviewed At Meeting Of Club

NILES — Edward Enos, Niles postmaster, was the new member of the board of directors elected at a meeting at the Hotel Belvoir of the Rotary Club last Thursday. C. W. Kraft, retiring president, automatically becomes a member of the board. Others reelected are E. D. Bristow, Dr. T. C. Wilson, R. C. Attinger and E. F. Glassbrook. This board will meet in the near future to elect officers.

Captain Ray Franck of the Hayward office of the California State Patrol and Coit Coolidge of the Hayward Library were guests at last week's meeting.

Dick Attinger was chairman of this week's meeting. Hugh Matier, world traveler and lecturer, was the speaker. He discussed the Far East and showed movies of events in China, including the Panay incident.

DISMISS CHARGE AGAINST MATTHEWS

CENTERVILLE — Manuel S. Matthews, 27, of Newark, charged with criminal assault, was freed Friday by Judge Allen G. Norris who stated there was not sufficient evidence to hold the defendant to answer to the Superior Court.

Both the testimony of the girl involved and that of the defendant indicated lack of evidence sufficient to hold Matthews to answer, Jugde Norris stated.

Last Week End Of Seventh Annual Niles Bulb Show

NILES—The closing week end of the seventh annual bulb show at the California Nursery Company at Niles will be held tomorrow and Sunday, though the growing grounds will continue to be open to visitors throughout the summer.

Special entertainment and tea and sandwiches served at the Old Adobe will again be an attraction to visitors, thousands of whom have come from all parts of the state to view the diplay of color and beauty furnished by more than 100,000 bulbs.

Nearly $100 has been cleared by the Toyon Branch of the Children's Hospital, the Toyon Berries, junior branch, and the Country Club of Washington Township at the sandwich sale.

Dozens of garden clubs have held their annual meetings at the nursery during the past few weeks as many as 200 or more in some of the groups.

Township residents are reminded of this last opportunity of entertaining out of town guests at the bulb show tomorrow and Sunday.

BLAZE DAMAGES NEWARK HOME

NEWARK —Damage estimated at $500 resulted from a fire at the home of Dr. J. V. Rand on Olive Street Tuesday night, March 5.

The blaze was thought to have been caused by an overheated stove. Chief Pashote and the fire department answered the alarm about 10 p. m. The kitchen was in flames when the fire was discovered.

Fish Pond Again Scene Of Tragedy For Small Child

ALVARADO — Richard Allen Emery, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Emery, was drowned when he fell into the fish pond at the family home on McKeown Road Sunday afternoon. He would have been two years old in July.

Final rites were held Monday afternoon from the Pratt Mortuary in Hayward and interment was in the Protestant cemetery at Decoto with Rev. Vernon Brown of Newark officiating.

Surviving are the parents and two brothers, William, aged three; Donald, six; and a sister, Laura, aged seven; also the grandmother, Mrs. O. J. Emery.

William and Richard were playing in the back yard while the mother and grandmother were in the house preparing the Sunday dinner. The father was in the yard with the children and left them for a moment to get the lawnmower. William came to the house to speak to his mother about the pool and upon investigation she found the other child face down in the water. He was taken to Hayward immediately where the inhalator crew summoned from the San Leandro fire department worked for an hour without avail.

A little more than a year ago a neighbor child about the same age fell into a fish pond but was brought to life after several hours work by the Centerville fire department resuscitator manipulated by Frank Madruga with Dr. E. A. Ormsby in charge.

Township Scouts To Hold Court Of Honor April 25

CENTERVILLE—Plans are being made for an interesting program for the Washington Township Boy Scout Court of Honor which will be held at the Centerville Grammar School on Monday evening, April 25, at 8 o'clock.

Inasmuch as the nineteenth observance of Public Schools Week is scheduled to begin on Monday, April 25, special emphasis is being laid on this particular court of honor.

The Centerville, Decoto, Irvington and Niles Boy Scout troops will participate and a large number of Scouts will receive awards of merit.

All those attending the court of honor are also invited to see the exhibit that will be displayed by the students of the Centerville Grammar School.

The public is cordially invited to attend this program and no admission will be charged.

FARM CENTER WILL MEET TUESDAY

CENTERVILLE— The Washington-Eden Farm Center will meet at the High School next Tuesday night. There will be colored motion pictures of new varieties of plants produced by the Associated Seed Growers to be shown by Gilbert Scott, manager.

Tom Orloff of Pleasanton is to speak on the milk market; Joe Shinn, Jr., on apricot prorate; Jeryl Fry and James Nunes on 4-H Club work; Mrs. Joe Williams on the Farm Home Department; Frank Cardoza on membership and Charles Langdon on the vegetable outlook.

SCOUTS CAMP OUT AT BIG BASIN

DECOTO—Nineteen Boy Scouts of the Decoto troop enjoyed a three-day camping trip to Big Basin last week end. Accompanying the boys were Scoutmaster Peter Decoto, L. W. Musick and Jack Prouty.

TRUCK CATCHES FIRE AT RANCH

DECOTO—The fire department was called to extinguish a blaze in a truck owned by Alber Shimozu on the Logan ranch located on the Whipple Road last Monday

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THE TAXPAYER IS OFFERED A BREAK

With costs of government mounting and taxes increasing it is natural that citizens throughout California should be keenly alert to any constructive plan that will lessen taxes or that will provide new sources of revenue on which the tax base may be broadened and tax burdens thus more fairly distributed.

Assembly Bill 27, passed unanimously by both houses of the recent special session of the State Legislature, and now awaiting the approval of Governor Merriam, offers just such a plan.

The bill is designed to restore to the tax-rolls millions of dollars worth of property which has been non-productive as far as taxes are concerned for many years and is not now easily saleable due to defects in the existing law which A. B. 27 will cure.

In Los Angeles County, for instance, there has not been a tax sale conducted since 1932 and more than $30,000,000 in assessed valuations of tax-deeded properties have been lost to the county rolls. The Los Angeles delinquencies represent about one-third of those of the entire State. The State Controller reports that he received 82,000 tax deeds last year from counties of the State and expects to receive at least 115,000 deeds this year and at least as many next year and the year after. At a conservative average valuation of $200 per property, these tax-deeds therefore represent an annual loss to the realty tax-rolls of this State of $20,000,000 per year. A part of this loss, at least, will be mitigated if A. B. 27 can be made into law.

It cannot be argued that A. B. 27, in providing a set-up for the public sale of such tax-deeded parcels, will work a hardship on any tax-payer or property-owner, for it must be remembered that properties are deeded to the State only five years after they have been "sold" for delinquencies, so that at least six years must have elapsed between the time of delinquency and the time of public sale. In fact, under the present moratoriam only parcels which were "sold" in 1929 or before can be offered for public sale. This is to say nothing of the privilege which defaulting property owners have enjoyed through the generosity of our Legislature, to redeem their properties under the alternative of ten annual payments with penalties and back interest waived.

The opposition to the bill which has developed among those who have been enjoying a "free ride' during the past several years, was to be expected. Quite naturally, the large land owners who have not paid taxes on their properties during the last ten years dislike the necessity of having to put their properties under a payment plan or else lose them at public sale.

The hostility is understandable also of those professional speculators and tax sharks who have bought quit-claim deeds for a song, and are waiting for the opportunity to compromise their tax obligations at the expense of the general taxpayer.

Governor Merriam was elected to office on a pledge of seeking the relief of overburdened taxpayers and is soliciting re-election on the same basis. He has performed on his pledge sincerely and capably and it is hoped by thousands of taxpayers that he will sign this bill and thus give needed relief to taxing agencies.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR ABANDONMENT OF PUBLIC ROADS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL FREEHOLDERS in Washington Road District Washington Township, Alameda County, California, that TUESDAY, APRIL 19th, 1938 at the hour of 10:00 a. m. of said day at the Meeting Room of said Board of Supervisors of Alameda County in the Court House, bounded by the blocks of 12th, 13th, Oak and Fallon Streets, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, have been fixed and appointed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda as the time and place of the hearing of the petition of certain residents of said road district for the abandonment and vacation of certain public roads in said Washington Township, which roads sought to be abandoned are hereinafter described, when and where any person interested may appear and give evidence in favor of or against the proposed vacation and abandonment as petitioned.

The portion of said roads so sought to be abandoned are described as follows, to wit:

All of County Road No. 3099 and the widening thereof, commonly known as Niles Canyon Road, from the Easterly boundary line of the old Town of Niles Northeasterly to the Southwesterly line of Vallejo Street.

ALSO, ALL of County Road No. 247 and the direct extension Southwesterly thereof, commonly known as Niles Canyon Road, from the Southwesterly line of Vallejo Street, Northeasterly to the Southwesterly right-of-way line of the Department of Public Works' 1936 Survey at Niles, Road IV-Ala.-5-C. DATED: This 29th day of March, 1938

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

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The portion of said road so sought to be abandoned is described as follows, to wit:

All of Vallejo Street from the direct extension Southwesterly of the Northwesterly line of County Road No. 247, commonly known as Niles Canyon Road, Northwesterly to the Southwesterly right-of-way line of the Department of Public Works' 1936 Survey at Niles, Road IV-Ala.-5-C.
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Newark Merchants Are Nosed Out By Nine From Oakland

By Eugene Pashote

NEWARK—The Blooms Acme Beer of Oakland defeated the Newark Merchants baseball team last Sunday by a score of 10 to 8.

Newark was ahead 8 to 5 up to the seventh inning but was nosed out when Blooms Acme Beer scored 5 runs on 6 hits in the eighth inning.

Anderson allowed 6 hits in 8 innings and 3 runs. In the sixth inning Frank Medaglia, who pitched for Newark in the Tribune tournament 2 years ago was knocked out of the box when Newark scored 6 hits and 5 runs. For Newark Joe Faria of Hayward who pitched his first game here struck out 12 men, and allowed 13 hits.

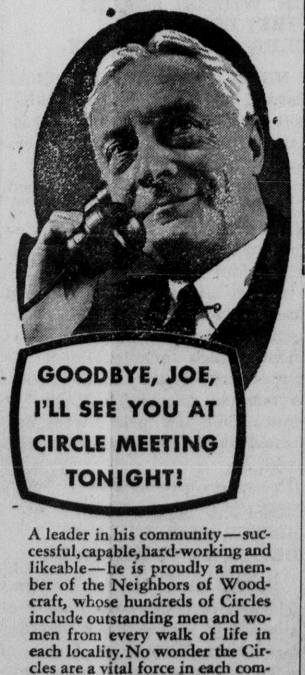
Star hitters for Newark were Amaral, getting 2 for 2, one a double; Lebon getting a double and triple out of 4 tries; Jimmie Perry hit a single and double out of 4 tries; Louie Silva got 2 hits out of 4 tries.

The Newark Merchants will not play Easter Sunday but will play the following Sunday.

The first interview with a baseball player for Newark of 1938 is presented here. Joseph Amaral, better known as "Lefty" Amaral who comes from Alvarado has been playing with Newark since 1934. He has played in two Tribune Tournament games. Joe seems to be the heavy slugger out of the three games played this year with a batting average of .625.

NEWARK	A. B.	R.	H.
Ed. Rose, 3b	5	1	0
Ornellas, lf	3	1	0
Ed Lebon, 2b	4	1	2
J. Silva, ss	4	1	1
L. Silva, 1b	4	0	2
M. Azevedo, rf	5	1	1
J. Perry, cf	4	1	2
T. Rivers,c	4	1	1
J. Faria, p	3	0	1
Amaral, lf	1	1	2
	38	8	12

BLOOM'S	A. B.	R.	H.
Risi, lf	5	3	2
Bloom, 2b	5	3	3
Johnson, cf	3	0	0
Weatherve, 1b	5	0	2
Medaglia, 3b-p	5	1	1
MacMillan, rf	5	1	2
Armas, ss	4	0	1
Monice, c	4	1	0
Anderson, p	2	0	1
	42	10	13



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Neighbors of Woodcraft welcome forward-looking men and women who wish, through membership in a local Circle, to take their rightful place in their community.

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CHEST EXAMINATIONS AT HIGH SCHOOL

Washington Union High School and the Livermore Union High School are included in a list of schools which have requested tuberculin tests and X-ray examinations for which directors of the Alameda County Tuberculosis and Health Association has appropriated $2500, according to Mrs. S. M. Marks, president of the association.

More than 12,000 students in Alameda County schools have been given chest examinations by the association during the past two years, states Mrs. Marks. Proper examination will detect early symptoms of pulmonary trouble and make prompt treatment effective.

TWO COUPLE ARE INJURED IN WRECK

NILES—Homer Collins of Hayward, and R. M. Stinson of Rodeo were injured when their cars collided Sunday noon at the intersection of the Centerville highway and the main Niles highway.

With Collins was Elvie Ridge of Centerville who suffered lacerations of the face and Mrs. Stinson riding with her husband, also received abrasions of the forehead and contusions and abrasions of both knees. They were given first aid by Dr. E. C. Grau.

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CHURCH MEN ORGANIZE FORUM

IRVINGTON—A Men's Forum has been organized at the Irvington Community Church as a part of the parish Men's Club for churches at Newark, Centerville, Alvarado and Irvington. Quarterly meetings will be held for the four groups in a joint session.

Officers elected at Irvington are Carter McKemy, president; Hugh Henry, vice president and Carl Mohn, secretary treasurer. The first program will be given on Thursday night, April 21 and will include music and motion pictures. Future programs will feature debates and discussion of current topics.

TOWNSHIP WOMEN ATTEND CEREMONIES

NILES—Three Rebekahs from Washington Township took part in the installation ceremonies held by the Past District Deputy Presidents' Association at the Elmhurst Lodge last Monday night.

Mrs. Fern Mitte of Niles was installed as treasurer; Mrs. Henrietta Graff of Alvarado as sentinel and Mrs. LaVon Sorensen of the Niles Lodge acted as installing marshal.

Mrs. Hannah Post, retiring president, acted as installing officer. Attending from the township were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mitte, Mrs. James Cull, Mrs. William Cull, Mrs. William Millett and Mrs. La Von Sorensen.

STAR OFFICIAL VISITS CHAPTER

CENTERVILLE—Deputy Grand Matron Gertrude Kennedy of Hayward paid an official visit to Orient Chapter, O. E. S., Wednesday night. Warren E. Gravestock spoke on Public Schools Week. A social hour followed the program with Mrs. Petra Gronley in charge of the refreshments committee.

ATTENDS DINNER FOR O. E. S. MATRONS

ALVARADO—Mrs. Laura Orelli, worthy matron of Orient Chapter, O. E. S. was a guest last night at a dinner in Oakland given by the patrons of the East Bay for the matrons. Plans were discussed for the annual reception for the Grand Matron Mary Isabel Warmer of Oakland to be held at the Scottish Rite Temple on August 28.

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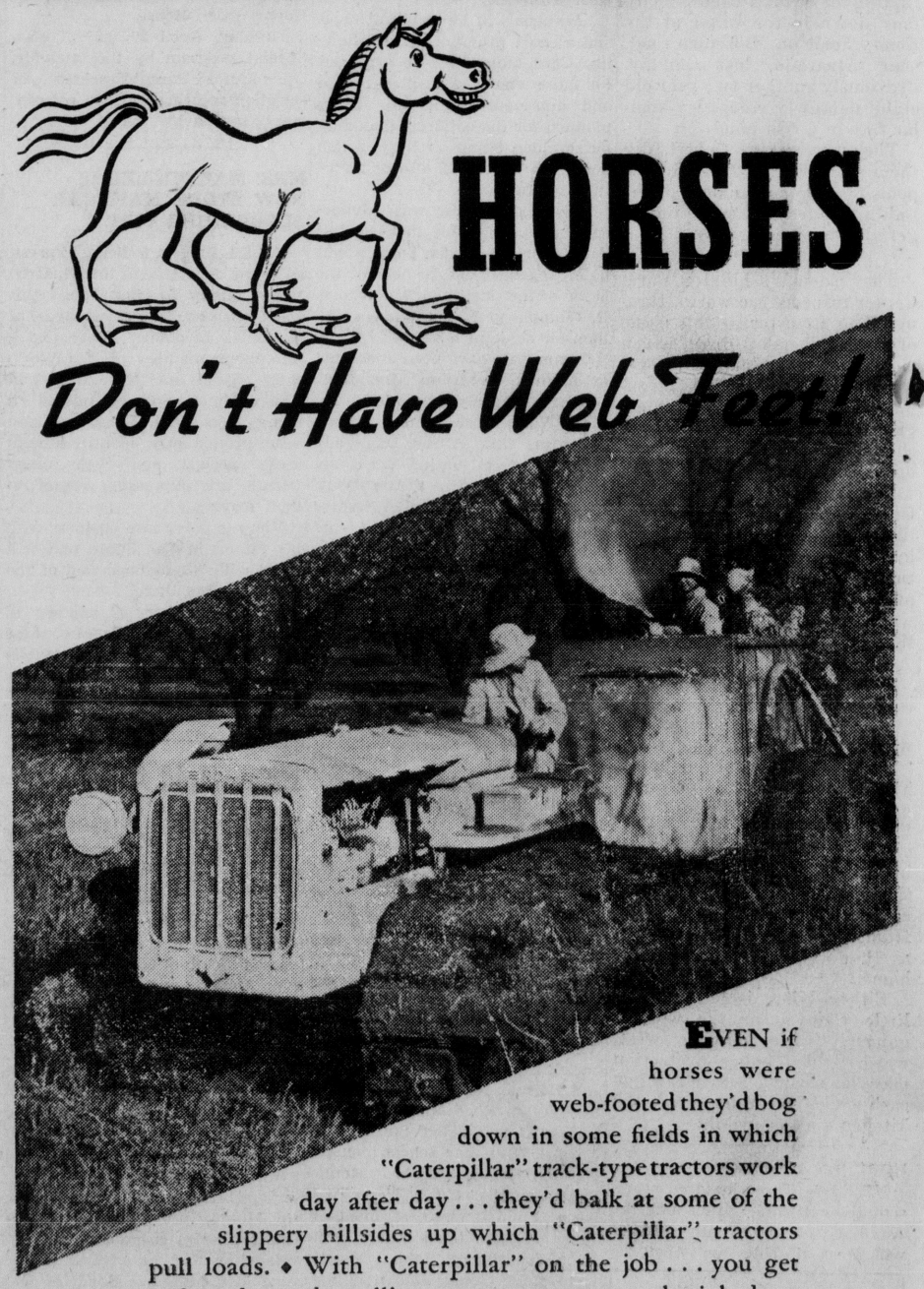

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At the grand openings in Newark on last Saturday 12 baskets were given away and 12 consolation prizes at Gygax's Stop and Shop Store; four prizes at the Newark Drug Store, and drinks were served at Collins station, so all in all the public had a great time. Votes of thanks were given from these places in helping them make the grand openings successful.

THOMPSON IN S. F. VISITING

Lawrence Thompson is spending this week with his sister in San Francico.

TRESCOTTS ATTEND DANCING PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Trescott spent Friday evening attending a dancing party at the Burbank School in Hayward.

FERNANDEZ MOVE TO ANDRADE'S HOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fernandez and twin boys, Gilbert and Wilbert, have moved to Andrade's house on Spruce street.

MR. AND MRS. BERNARD PROUD PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bernard are the proud parents of an 8 lb. baby boy born to them last week at Silva's maternity home in Niles.

WOMEN OF S. F. SPEND SUNDAYi HERE

Mrs. Emily Tautenhahn and Mrs. Willshire from San Francisco spent Sunday with friends and relatives.

BERNARD'S MOVE TO ANDRADE'S HOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bernard have moved to Manuel Andrade's house on Spruce street after occupying Mr. D. Nunes house on Baine street.

LAZZARINI RETURNS TO HIS DUTIES

Bill Lazzarini has returned to his work in Canada after spending a week at his home in Newark with his wife and children.

S. E. S. DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT

The S. E. S. of Newark are inviting everyone to attend their Easter Ball at Swiss Park Saturday evening. There will be a door prize.

ENJOY VISIT TO LOS ANGELES

Bill Kraft, Wilbert Pine, Melvin Vargus, Edward Neves and Clarence Martin of Newark arrived home Tuesday having spent a very enjoyable 3 day visit in Hollywood and Los Angeles.

MITZI TAUTENHAHN VISITS HERE

Little Mitzi Tautenhahn from San Francisco is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martel.

MARSHALLS VISITING IN SAN FRANCISCO

Mrs. Ann Marshall and Henry Jr. from Newark are visiting a week in San Francisco with friends and relatives.

GROUP ATTEND COAST LEAGUE GAME

George Mae, Leona and Florence Mae and Joe Enos attended the Oakland-Seattle baseball game on last Wednesday evening at the Oakland ball park.

MR. NEVES OF STOCKTON DIES

Edward Neves and Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Neves and children, Mervin and Beverly, were called to Stockton last Sunday to the bedside of Frank and Ed's father, who has been ill for some time. He died on Monday morning, and was brought to the Chapel of the Palms in Centerville from where he was buried on Wednesday morning at the Holy Ghost cemetery. He leaves a large family.

SPEND SUNDAY AT PARADISE DAM

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sarmento, Bud Kettman, Lillian Freitas, Georgе Mae and Donald Dias spent Sunday at Paradise Dam fishing. Many catfish were caught.

DE GUADALUPE INSTITUTE HONORED

At the April 7 meeting, DeGuadelupe Institute No. 74 was honored with the presence of District Deputy Aileen McClosky.

Many matters of importance were taken care of at this meeting.

The date for the dinner dance at the Claremont Hotel was set for April 23. The district meeting will be held next time on April 24, and De Guadelupe Institute is honored by having President Madeline Santos elected first vice president for the district. A class of nine will be initiated into the Institute.

Miss Lida Santos was chairman of the refreshments. The tables were beautifully decorated and about 90 members attended this event.

MRS. SCOTT ENTERTAINS CLUB

Mrs. Scott entertained the Stitch-em-up Club on last Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Wyatt's birthday.

MRS. HALEY REPORTS ON LIBRARIAN

Mrs. Elsie Haley was in town Sunday and reported that her aunt Mrs. Mary Flaherty, is somewhat improved, but still quite ill at St. Mary's hospital in San Francisco.

BECK TAKES GROUP IN BOAT

William Beck took Mr. and Mrs. Stark, Mr. and Mrs. Cotton, Mr. and Mrs. William Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Scott and families cruising around the bay at Newark. All had a good time.

WOMENS IMPROVEMENT CLUB HOLDS MEETING

The Women's Improvement Club met at the home of Mrs. Scott on last Tuesday evening. Final plans were made for the whist party which will be held on April 18 at the Newark School auditorium.

LADIES TO HOLD MEN'S NIGHT

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Newark Fire Department met at the home of Mrs. J. E. Pashote on last Monday evening. Final plans were made at the meeting for a men's night on April 23 at Butler's Hotel with the following committee in charge: Hazel Calderia, chairman; Connie Silva and Irene Fields.

The Newark Fire Department also met on Monday at Pashote's club house. They will start their summer drilling soon.

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MRS. TRESCOTT ATTENDS MEETING

Mrs. Trescott attended the former Utah girls club on last Friday at Hayward at the home of Mrs. Crockett. The subject was studying a tour of Mexico. Mrs. Crockett showed the members what she brought back on her trip.

MRS. WILLIAMS CALLED TO TURLOCK

Mrs. Clara Williams was called to Turlock last Monday due to the death of her father on Monday. He was buried Wednesday.

HOSICK MOVES TO HAYWARD

P. J. Hosick, Insurance agent, who had been living in Newark for quite some time moved to Hayward last week.

SYLVIA PERRY VISITS GRANDPARENTS

Sylvia Perry of Oakland is spending the Easter vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perry and her father, Louis.

SPEND MONDAY IN OAKLAND

Mrs. J. F. Silva and daughter, Jeanette, spent Monday in Oakland on business.

Decoto Doings

VISIT IN SACRAMENTO

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dutra accompanied their daughter, Mrs. J. P. Calderia and sons to Sacramento for last week end.

CALDEIRA IN HOLLISTER

J. P. Caldeira made a business trip to Hollister last week end.

Alvarado Shorts

IN OAKLAND WEDNESDAY

Miss Vivian Logan was in Oakland on Wednesday.

VISITING IN SACRAMENTO

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Logan were in Sacramento Wednesday.

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Irvington Items

CELEBRATES WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Gloria Dycus entertained a number of friends last Friday evening, the occasion being her birthday.

Among those present were Helen and Lucille Correia, Eleanor George, Alberta Nunes, Chris Gomes, Gene Ramsell, Walter and Lawrence Correia, Vincent Dycus, Mrs. Correia and Mrs. Dycus all of Irvington and Dorothy Rose of Niles.

The evening was spent in playing games and refreshments were served. Miss Dycus celebrated her sixteenth birthday.

LIBRARIAN WILL QUIT POST

Mrs. Mary Beardsley has resigned her position as librarian after holding the same for 14 years. Her resignation is to take effect on May 1 and many of her friends will miss her. She is succeeded by Miss Elizabeth Lowrie.

SPENDS WEEK IN OAKDALE

Miss Eleanor George spent Easter week in Oakdale with Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Garcia.

ATTEND HOUSEWARMING IN SAN JOSE

Miss Evelyn Bettencourt and Joseph George attended a house warming given last Saturday evening in San Jose at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Swanson.

Swanson is the former manager of the J. C. Penney store in San Leandro and is now managing the San Jose store.

SPEND WEEK IN LOS ANGELES

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Campos and family are spending the entire week in Los Angeles with Mr. and Mrs. Spann.

GUESTS OF FRIENDS ON SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Parisio of Oakland visited here with friends on Sunday.

RECOVERING FROM OPERATION

Mrs. Minnie Silva was taken to the San Jose Hospital last Monday where she underwent an operation Tuesday. She is reported doing nicely.

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Niles Notes

OAKLAND VISITORS HERE MONDAY

Mrs. Donlad Cruzan and her daughter of Oakland were visitors at Niles on Monday.

P. T. A. MEET IS POSTPONED

The regular meeting of the Niles P. T. A. to have been held on Tuesday of this week has been postponed until next Tuesday due to the Easter vacation.

WILLIAM FORD IS ILL

News was received here this week of the serious illness of William H. Ford. Mr. Ford was a visitor in Niles recently and was looking much improved in health.

VISITORS AT SHINN HOME

Mrs. Allen Shinn and son have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shinn here this week. Mrs. Shinn's mother, Mrs. Shuey of Oakland was also a guest here on Saturday.

RETURNS FROM UKIAH

Mrs. Julia Shinn has returned from a visit to Ukiah.

IS GIVING TEA PARTY

Mrs. Fred Nelson entertained at a dessert tea yesterday for Mrs. George Roberts of Marysville who has been visiting here this week.

ENGAGED PAIR ARE ENTERTAINED

Miss Ella Sullivan and Raymond Jolliff were honored guests at a dinner given by the Misses Allison Porter and Emillee Cornac at their home in San Jose last Saturday evening. The engaged pair were presented with a lovely crystal console set.

CALLED HOME BY ILLNESS

Elizabeth Constant, niece of Miles Smith, was called home this week because of the serious illness of her father in Estancia, New Mexico. She was a Senior student at Washington Union High School.

SACRAMENTO VISITORS AT NELSON HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sharp and son and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thomas of Sacramento are to arrive today to spend the Easter week end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nelson. Also visiting at the Nelson home this week have been Mrs. George Roberts and nephew, Donald Rathburn of Marysville.

RAINBOW GIRLS AT SANTA CRUZ

Among those attending the Grand Assembly at Santa Cruz this week end are the following Rainbow Girls: Laura Lee Zwissig, Linda Jane Hellwig, Vivian Logan, Barbara and Marilyn Critchfield and Joan Boyd.

SAN FRANCISCO VISITOR HERE

Mrs. William Eberly of San Francisco was a visitor here this week.

WELFARE WILL MEET MONDAY

The Welfare Club will meet at the home of Mrs. James Whipple Monday afternoon.

LOS GATOS VISITOR

Richard C. Stephens of Los Gatos has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Clark Griffin at the Hotel Belvoir.

VISITING IN STOCKTON

Mrs. Frances Mackey and daughter are spending the Easter vacation in Stockton.

EASTER DINNER AT SOLON'S

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Solon and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Dias will be guests at an Easter Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Solon.

SHOPPING IN SAN FRANCISCO

Mrs. C. H. Franklin and daughte Dorothy Fae, were shopping in San Francisco last Saturday.

VISITORS FROM NEBRASKA

Mrs. Jeffries of Lincoln, Nebraska, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Paul Offel at the Hotel Belvoir. She will remain through the summer.

SON BORN TO CHURANS

News of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. John Churan of Crystal Lake, Ill., was received here recently. Mr. Churan was formerly connected with the Kraftile Company at Niles.

LOS ANGELES VISITOR HERE

Miss Jane Burr of Los Angeles has been spending the Easter vacation with her brother, Charles, at the Hotel Belvoir.

FREE—A delicious Haas chocolate cream Easter egg to each customer Saturday at the Hayward Drug Co., 950 B St., Hayward. Ten of these eggs contain coupons good for a valuable prize.

POSTMASTERS TO MEET HERE

The Alameda County Postmasters' Association will meet for dinner at the Hotel Belvoir on Wednesday, April 20, at 7:30 o'clock. Approximately 40 are expected.

SPORTSMEN INVITED PARTICIPATE IN TRAP SHOOT SUNDAY

NEWARK — All sportsmen of the community were invited to participate in the trapshoot at Plumbers Field in Newark Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock under the auspices of the Newark Sportsmen's Club.

At the second shoot held by the club recently, J. Richmond of Hayward had the high score of 42 out of 50. John Santos was second with 32 out of 50 and also high in doubles, 7-12.

Scores were as follows: Hayward visitors, Richmond, 42; Don, 20; Sweeney, 31; Mason, 29; J. Silva 15 out of 25.

Newark club members scored as follows: Out of 50, G. Butler, 20; W. Raber, 27; R. Mikkelsen, 30; T. Ornellas, 31; T. Orlin, 27; S. Lewis, 27; J. Santos, 32; out of 25—S. J. Majeski, 12; W. Caldeira, 17; J. Machado, 13; E. Frick, 25 and R. Mikkelsen, 12.

Doubles—L. Mason, 6 out of 12; R. Mikkelsen, 5 out of 12; John Santos, 7 out of 12; George Butler, 3 out of 12; S. Lewis, 4 out of 12; W. Raber, 2 out of 12; E. Frick, 4 out of 12 and J. Silva, 2 out of 12.

SCHOOL PRINCIPAL HOME FOR EASTER

NEWARK—Eph Musick, formerly principal of the Newark Grammar School, and now supervisor of schools of Del Norte Cuonty, has been spending the Easter vacation with his family here. He was accompanied South by his nephew, Lansing Musick.

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Motion Pictures Show Members Of Club Exposition

CENTERVILLE—Something of what is in store for visitors to the Golden Gate International Exposition to be opened on Treasure Island in February was shown in motion pictures and talk by W. W. Wilson at last week's meeting of the Country Club of Washington Township.

Several members of the local club have taken memberships in the Yerba Buena Women's Club to be built on the island.

Mrs. George Coit, vice president, presided at the meeting in the absence of Mrs. C. E. Martenstein, president. A nominating committee was appointed and various other business matters attended to. Music was furnished by Washington Union High School students.

The club voted to serve the next dinner of the Men's Club on May 8, and a testimonial dinner to be given for Frank T. Dusterberry by the Chamber of Commerce and the Lions Club on April 21.

Announcement was made of the bridge tea to be given on April 23 at Castlewood Country Club by the Toyon Berries and all members were invited to be present.

It was announced that dues for 1938-39 were due in advance in May.

A letter of thanks from the American Printing House for the Blind was received for the recent donation made to the blind in Berkeley by the local club which contributed a $10 subscription of the braille edition of the Readers' Digest. More than 2,500 free subscriptions which are read by 15,000 people in 25 countries are given each year, the letter stated.

ANNOUNCE WINNERS IN KITE CONTEST

CENTERVILLE—The following prize winners in the kite contest for grammar schools at the Washington Union High School have been announced by Coach Jud Taylor of the high school staff:

Smallest kite, John Rice, first; Henry Marshall, second, both of Newark; largest, Newark Grammar School; most unusual, Albert Luna and Joe Nakamura of Centerville; highest flyer, Bobby Oliveira of Centerville; fartherest flight, Chiori Inouye of Centerville; smoothest sailing, Alfred Rebello of Niles; best home made kite, Cyril Oland and David Vargas of Centerville and Richard Kibby of Niles; best cross kite, Bobby Rose of Centerville and Andrew Lindsay of Niles; consolation prize, Luther Hudson of Newark; only girl contestant, Marjorie Cotton.

STUDENTS INSPECT ABATEMENT PROJECT

NILES— Twenty-eight students in the curricular of public health from the University of California made a tour of the mosquito abatement district project in Washington Township on Tuesday under the direction of Harold Grey and Roland Bendel. They had luncheon at the Florence Restaurant.

JUNIOR CHAMBER TO MEET MONDAY

NILES—Public Schools Week will feature the meeting of the Niles Junior Chamber of Commerce to be held at the Florence Restaurant Monday night at 7:39 o'clock. E. D. Bristow, principal of the Niles Grammar School, will be the speaker and President Lewis Lewis will preside.

Centerville Jots

DELEGATES ARE SELECTED

Judge Allen G. Norris and Tom Silva have been selected as delegates from Washington Parlor, N. S. G. W. to the State convention to be held in San Jose on May 15. E. J. Pimentel and Max Stevenson are alternates.

HOMELESS CHILDREN'S BALL DATE IS SET

The annual Homeless Children's Ball to be given jointly by the Native Sons and Native Daughters of Centerville will be held at the high school gymnasium on Apr. 30.

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LAWRENCE GEORGE SERIOUSLY ILL

Lawrence George continues ill at the Providence Hospital in Oakland. He has been confined to the hospital for about seven weeks.

SCHOLARSHIP GROUP WILL INITIATE

The new members of the Washington Union High School Scholarship Society will be initiated at a meeting to be held next Wednesday. Laura Lee Zwissig, whose name was omitted from the list recently printed, will be among those initiated.

TOYON BERRIES AID FLOWER SHOW

Miss Jean Coit, Mrs. Lawrence Bunting, Jr., and Miss Frances Rogers, members of Toyon Berries, assisted at the Wishing Well for the benefit of the Children' Hospital at the Oakland Flower Show last Sunday.

MRS. JACK LOWRIE CALLED SOUTH

Mrs. Jack Lowrie was called South last week because of the death of her mother. Her small daughter visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lowrie here.

VISITING IN SOUTH

Mrs. F. O. Bunting and Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Waltenberger left this week for a two weeks' visit south. Mrs. Bunting will visit in Pomona with Mrs. Howard Bunting and the Waltenbergers will visit in Arizona.

COLLEGE STUDENTS HOME FOR EASTER

Among the college students from Berkeley who are spending the Easter vacation in Washington Township are the following: Robert Coit, Robert Solon, Robert Kibby, Robert Salz, John Accinelli, Rosalie, Eleanor and Herbert Harrold, Catherine Rathbone, Helen Rogers, Gwendolyn Millet, Doris Machado, Elmo Grimmer and Wallace Pond.

P. T. A. SESSION DELAYED A WEEK

NILES—The regular meeting of the Niles Parent-Teachers Association will be held at the school next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Reginald Calhoun, new president, will preside for the first time. The meeting has been postponed one week due to the Easter vacation.

BECOMES ENGAGED WHILE IN SOUTH

NEWARK—Bill Kraft of Newark became formally engaged to Miss Ann Burra of Los Angeles while visiting there recently. The wedding is planned to take place this coming June.

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